

United States District Court District of Minnesota

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Position: Financial Support Technician (Temporary Indefinite full-time

position, Excepted Service; annual appointment subject to funding)

Location: District of Minnesota

Minneapolis

Salary Classification: CL 24

Range: \$33,228 - \$54,003

Starting Salary: Depending on Qualifications

Closing Date: Position open until filled. Preference given to resumes received by

Monday, September 24, 2007 at 5 p.m.

Overview of the District of Minnesota

The U.S. District Court, District of Minnesota, serves the 87 Minnesota counties. The District has four staffed divisional offices located in Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth and Fergus Falls. There are 7 authorized district judges, 4 senior district judges, 6 authorized magistrate judges and a Clerk's Office staff of over 60 employees.

Introduction:

This position is located in the Clerk's Office in the Minneapolis Courthouse of the U.S. District Court for the District of Minnesota. The incumbent serves as a Financial Support Technician in the Minneapolis Division and provides support to the financial operations of the clerk's office and maintains required accounting records. The incumbent reports to the Financial Services Manager. This position is subject to funding on a year to year basis. Based on current data, the position is expected to be funded through September 30, 2008. It may be renewed thereafter.

Representative Duties:	
	Reconciles Mailed Check Log
	Maintains Return Check Log
	Creates and sends restitution letters
	Mails checks out
	Files vouchers and financial reports
	Enters journal documents for Registry Interest in the financial accounting system (FAS4T)
	Researches victim addresses
	Updates victim address and information
	Responds to case inquiries from other agencies, victims, defendants, etc.
	Sets up PLRA Cases in FAS4T
	Sends "Paid in Full" notices to Bureau of Prisons
	Sends Non Sufficient Funds check letters
	Maintains Non Sufficient Funds check Log
	Maintains Non-Cash Collateral Log
	Prepares bills for tenants' phone switch
	Performs restitution research
	Enters payment authorization for juror meals, parking and lodging
	Enters payment authorization for reimbursement: professional liability insurance, internet access, etc.
	Provides special report to the Clerk for the non-appropriated account
	Prepares Purchase Card Report
	Prepares Eighth Circuit CJA Report
	Certifies Form N-4- Infoweb (naturalizations)
	Monitors open balances and sends out past-due notices for phone invoices
	Dockets registry/bond receipts on a monthly basis
	Prepares jury snack vouchers
	Special duties as assigned

Qualifications.	
	Good attention to detail
	Skill and accuracy in maintaining records and preparing reports
	Ability to maintain confidentiality
	Ability to prioritize tasks and adjust priorities as needed
	Good communication skills
	Good customer service skills
	Good organizational skills
	Take direction from others
	Keyboarding skills
	Knowledge of and ability to learn word processing, spreadsheets and the internet
	BA preferred

Benefits:

Qualifications.

Employees of the U.S. District Court are not classified under Federal Civil Service, but are entitled to similar benefits. These benefits include participation in the retirement system, health and life insurance programs, holiday and leave accrual, and periodic salary increases.

Qualified candidates may send or e-mail resume with cover letter to:

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